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Attorney Docket No. EH-10880 (03-364)

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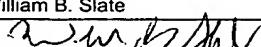
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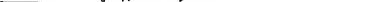
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1002 3-0	2002 170	Design filing fee		
1003 530	2003 265	Plant filing fee		
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